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March 3, 2015

MEMORANDUM

TO: State Board of Education

FROM: Michael P. Flanagan

SUBJECT: Approval of State Board of Education and Michigan

Department of Education Cosponsorship

The State Board of Education and Michigan Department of Education have been asked to cosponsor the following conference:

School Nutrition Association of Michigan 2015 Annual Conference

It is recommended that the State Board of Education support the cosponsorship of the conference, as described in the Superintendent's memorandum dated March 3, 2015.

COSPONSORSHIP

Title of Event:	School Nutrition Association of Michigan 2015 Annual Conference	
Primary Sponsoring Agency:	School Nutrition Association of Michigan	
Cosponsor(s):	Michigan Department of Education	
Dates:	November 6-8, 2015	
Location:	Battle Creek, Michigan	
Purpose:	To provide information and resources to school food service directors through a multiple-day workshop that will focus on USDA program requirements and all aspects of school meals program operations at the local districts.	
Major Speaker(s):	To be determined; includes School Nutrition Programs unit staff.	
Audience:	School food service directors and staff from multi-site school districts.	
Staff Involvement:	Provide training and technical assistance through formal presentations and informal networking with local district food service staff.	
Financial Obligation:	Federal X State Other	_
Staff Costs (including fringe 20 staff for 3 days	benefits and number of days):	\$11,258
Registration – 20 sta Meals - 20 staff x \$3 Lodging - 20 staff x		\$ 2,800 \$ 2,160 \$ 4,920 \$ 349
State Board Participation:	Yes as invited quests	

Yes, as invited guests

The following "Statement of Cosponsorship" will appear on the printed agenda for the meeting or conference:

Cosponsorship of a conference by the State Board of Education and Michigan Department of Education assumes the active participation of Department of Education staff in the planning and development of the agenda. No person shall be denied the opportunity to participate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or ancestry, age, sex, marital status or disability. The conference facility must meet federal and state accessibility standards. Commercial products or services displayed or presented as a part of the conference are not considered endorsed by the State Board of Education or Michigan Department of Education.